



TREASURY DEPARTMENT

BUREAU OF THE MINT

Washington, Sept. 22, 1899.

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Envoy Extraordinary & Minister Plenipotentiary,
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In reply to your inquiry, you are respectfully informed
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\$6,065.12. The cost of manufacturing planchettes would be
\$.65, making a total of \$698,844.77.

Unless notified to the contrary, I shall have these
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[Signature] George E. Roberts
Director of the Mint.